

Stetson University
Commencement
1951
Graduation Exercises



Monday Morning, June Fourth
Seven O'clock

The Forest of Arden
DeLand, Florida

Program

PROCESSIONAL *March Carillon* Hanson
University Band, Professor Richard M. Feasel, Director

INVOCATION The Reverend Earl Eddington, D. D.
Pastor, First Baptist Church, St. Petersburg
President, Florida Baptist Convention

CHORUS *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* Luther-Mueller
University Chorus, Professor Harold M. Giffin, Director

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS James William Fulbright
United States Senate

CHORUS AND BAND *Battle Hymn of the Republic* Ringwald
University Chorus and Band, Professor Harold M. Giffin, Director

THE AWARDING OF PRIZES

THE OBSERVANCE OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE COLLEGE OF LAW

Greetings from Florida State Bar Association John Allison
President

ALMA MATER

Dear Alma Mater, smile upon thy children,
Gladly we greet thee, altogether lovely;
Peace be within thy classic halls and temples,
Hail, Alma Mater dear!

Hail to the heroes who have gone before us,
Young men and maidens filled with true devotion;
Bright is their glory, fadeless and undying.
Hail to our heroes gone!

Hail to our classmates, bound by ties ne'er broken,
Here once again we pledge our vows of friendship;
Brave hearts and true hearts sound aloud the chorus:
Long live our comrades dear.

Dear Alma Mater, tenderly thy children
Gather and bring to thee gracious salutations;
Comrades your voices lift once again in chorus,
Hail, Alma Mater dear!

Candidates for Degrees

Bachelor of Arts

Gloria Solbrig Altemus
Chicago, Illinois

Betty Jane Bailey
Vero Beach, Florida

William Birnbaum
Bayside New York, N. Y.

Etson James Blackwell, Jr.
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

John LaFollette Bowman
Miami, Florida

Barbara Brundage
DeLand, Florida

Awbrey Bowen Burns, Jr.
DeLand, Florida

Price Randolph Bush
Cramerton, North Carolina

Austin Martin Cadwell
Winter Garden, Florida

James Carlton Carter
Arlington, Florida

James Edward Carter
Bradenton, Florida

George Irwin Chassey, Jr.
Crescent City, Florida

Mabel Joan Cook
Miami, Florida

June Clara Cossin
Orlando, Florida

William D. Crisp
Miami, Florida

Suzanne Davis
Jacksonville, Florida

Virginia Lee Davis
Maryville, Tennessee

Della Sue Decker
Daytona Beach, Florida

Ruth Mary Dickson
Adel, Georgia

Elizabeth Mae DuBose
Vero Beach, Florida

Lois Jean Eskey
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Jimmie Nell Fleming
Orlando, Florida

Elizabeth Bowman Flory
Pequea, Pennsylvania

Mary Kathryn Gatliff
DeLand, Florida

Pansy Ann Gibson
Tarpon Springs, Florida

Clarence Alton Griffis, Jr.
DeLand, Florida

Kenneth Lowell Hansen
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Marion Herbert Hare
Jacksonville, Florida

Robert Earle Haynie
Asheville, North Carolina

Patricia Ann Helgeson
St. Petersburg, Florida

Spurgeon Nathaniel Hinds
Wauchula, Florida

Mary Louise Howell
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Graduation Honors

Elizabeth Bowman Flory, *Summa Cum Laude*

Della Sue Decker, *Magna Cum Laude*

Virginia Lee Davis, *Cum Laude*

Jimmie Nell Fleming, *Cum Laude*

Dorothy Wilde Flory, *Cum Laude*

Ulilla Treon, *Cum Laude*

Lemuel Murray Thomas Daytona Beach, Florida	Jefferson Pete Voss Winter Garden, Florida
William Bradford Towne E. Kingston, New Hampshire	Miladeen Irene Ward Tallahassee, Florida
Jlilla Treon Atlanta, Georgia	Mason Hill Wharton Orlando, Florida
LeRoy Tucker Ocala, Florida	Johnny Paul Wheeler Daytona Beach, Florida
Sandra Skeen Twichell Williamsburg, Kentucky	Denese Leach Whiteman Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Jeanne Van Dorn Red Bank, New Jersey	William Leco Whitmire Daytona Beach, Florida
Roy Briant Voorhees DeLand, Florida	Beatrice Kelley Wilson Orlando, Florida
Thomas William Woolley St. Petersburg, Florida	

Bachelor of Science

Walter Auffenberg Astor Park, Florida	William J. Frondi DeLand, Florida
Mary Elizabeth Brewin DeLand, Florida	Richard Byrd Hendry Fort Myers, Florida
Charles Lindbergh Broadway Leesburg, Florida	Bert Kurland Washington, D. C.
Bettina Bryan Hialeah, Florida	Edward Jay Lurie Brooklyn, New York
Anderson Jernigan Caldwell, Jr. Umatilla, Florida	William Holden Naff Miami, Florida
Carolyn Ethel Cleveland DeLand, Florida	Barbara Jean Smith Homestead, Florida
George Donald Coffrin Jacksonville, Florida	Nancy Eudora Smith St. Petersburg, Florida
Nina Merle Dalrymple New Smyrna Beach, Florida	Lewis Howe Treen Eustis, Florida
Norman Owen Davis Chicago, Illinois	James Eugene Waddell Belle Glade, Florida
William Raymond Faust Ocala, Florida	John Conway Watts Bryson City, North Carolina
Bruce M. Wigle DeLand, Florida	

Bachelor of Music

Earl W. Compton
Orlando, Florida

Ernest Herman Cowley
Tampa, Florida

Roger DiGiulian
West Palm Beach, Florida

Dorothy Wilde Flory
Pequea, Pennsylvania

Nancy Aline Williams
Sanford, Florida

Irma Jeane Harris
Bartow, Florida

Shirla Ione Shaw
Jesup, Georgia

Sarah Catherine Stillwell
Mt. Vernon, Ohio

Sara Elizabeth Walker
Miami, Florida

Bachelor of Science [in Business]

Robert Dean Altemus
Indiana, Pennsylvania

James Richard Anderson
Miami, Florida

John Ira Bishop
Vero Beach, Florida

William Burton Carson, Jr.
Beresford, Florida

Gabriel George
Daytona Beach, Florida

Arthur Joe Grant
DeLand, Florida

Leonard Victor Grasso
Daytona Beach, Florida

Leonard George Hardy, Jr.
Atlanta, Georgia

Robert Charles Jenks
DeLand, Florida

Rose Marilyn Johnson
Pierce, Florida

Woodford Jones Mabry
Neptune Beach, Florida

Arthur Newth Morris, Jr.
Mandarin, Florida

Neil Alfred Nelson
Pensacola, Florida

Walton Douglas Streit
Pitman, New Jersey

Thomas Earl Taunton
Miami, Florida

Bachelor of Laws

Ralph Julian Bennett, Jr.
Panama City, Florida

Charles F. Benson
Maitland, Florida

Margaret Helen Berg
St. Petersburg, Florida

Richard A. Bianco
St. Petersburg, Florida

David William Bride, Jr.
Utica, New York

William Archie Brown
DeLand, Florida

Michael John Buscemi
Tampa, Florida

Judson Clifford Cheatwood
Birmingham, Alabama

John A. Christensen
Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan

Julian Griffin Clark
DeLand, Florida

Mack Norman Cleveland, Jr.
Sanford, Florida

James André Dodd
Hazleton, Pennsylvania

George Beauregard Everett, Jr.
Daytona Beach, Florida

Alex Durrance Finch
Clearwater, Florida

Ronald Joseph Fruda
DeLand, Florida

Walker Sidney Green
DeFuniak Springs, Florida

Charles Richard Hillman
Jacksonville, Florida

Frederick Harold Hope, Jr.
West Palm Beach, Florida

Aden Keeter
Talking Rock, Georgia

Fred R. Langford
DeLand, Florida

Carl Ramsdell Linn
St. Petersburg, Florida

Loyd Coolidge Mosley
Middleburg, Florida

Henry Van Dyne Osten
Garden City, New York

Robert Joseph Pauley
St. Petersburg, Florida

Frank Ragano
Tampa, Florida

Robert Lee Rowe, Jr.
Jacksonville, Florida

Frank P. Savoldi
Sharon, Pennsylvania

George Andrew Speer
Sanford, Florida

Carmelita B. Tartari
DeLand, Florida

William Harrison Taylor, Jr.
Plant City, Florida

Clayton M. Tittsworth
Tampa, Florida

John Richard Wood
Bartow, Florida

Master of Arts

Wesley Melvin Berner
DeLand, Florida

Timothy Hewitt Herring
Hialeah, Florida

Howard Ward Kirk
Leesburg, Florida

Alice Coulter McLean
DeLand, Florida

Earl W. Marsh
Jacksonville, Florida

John Henry Scalf, Jr.
High Point, North Carolina

Tazwell Birk Wingfield
Orlando, Florida

Harry King Hurst Hazard, Kentucky	Mary June Norwood Valdosta, Georgia
Roger Teed Jacobs Middletown, New York	Wayne Weldon Oeffler Miami Beach, Florida
Robert W. Jennings Kissimmee, Florida	George Jackson Palmer St. Petersburg, Florida
Pauline Virginia Johns Orange City, Florida	Mary Ann Peddy Lakeland, Florida
Nellie Thigpin Jones DeLand, Florida	Robert L. Perkins Jacksonville, Florida
James John Jordan, Jr. Richmond, Virginia	Walter Folk Pinder Miami, Florida
Richard Hubert Kale DeLand, Florida	Marilyn Joyce Pitts Miami, Florida
Allen Elwin Kelley Milligan, Florida	Evelyn Virginia Ratliff Sanford, Florida
Lewis H. Kennison, Jr. Jacksonville, Florida	Evelyn June Robinson DeLand, Florida
Jack Daniel Kerzner Dorchester, Massachusetts	Shirley Isabel Rodgers Miami, Florida
Marjorie Esther Klettner Orlando, Florida	James R. Rose, III Daytona Beach, Florida
Helen Montgomery Lowe Daytona Beach, Florida	Jacqueline Wood Sappia New York City, New York
Eugene Harold Lutke St. Louis, Missouri	Virginia Ann Skeen Pompano Beach, Florida
Paul Thomas MacAlester DeLand, Florida	Francis Joseph Smith West Palm Beach, Florida
Willie Bueron McGough, Jr. St. Cloud, Florida	Ronald Smith Spencer, Jr. Pensacola, Florida
Joseph Payton Meriwether, Jr. Miami, Florida	James Lewis Stancil Wauchula, Florida
Henry Everett Moody Jacksonville, Florida	Helen Pearson Sundberg DeLand, Florida
Julian Hugh Murphy Green Cove Springs, Florida	Richard Alfred Swart Orlando, Florida
Marilyn Aletha Nelson Titusville, Florida	Mae Louise Tabor Washington, D. C.

Honorary Degrees

DOCTOR OF LITERATURE

Caleb Jewett King

DOCTOR OF COMMERCIAL SCIENCE

Walter Lee Hays

DOCTOR OF DIVINITY

John Maguire

Ransom Kelly White

DOCTOR OF LAWS

Tolbert Francis Hobson, LL.B. '24

Elwyn Thomas, LL.B. '15

DOCTOR OF HUMANITIES

James William Fulbright

Greetings from American Bar Association

Scott M. Loftin
Past President

The Awarding of Distinguished Service Certificate to

Louie W. Strum, LL.B. '12
Judge of the United States
Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

THE PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES BY
THE DEANS OF EACH FACULTY, WITH THE CONFERRING
OF DEGREES BY THE PRESIDENT

CONFERRING OF HONORS

ALMA MATER

BENEDICTION

Dr. Gordon Poteat
Pastor, The Tourist Church, Daytona Beach

RECESSIONAL

The Conqueror

Teike

University Band, Professor Richard M. Feasel, Director

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The audience is asked to stand during the procession and recession.

COMMENCEMENT MARSHALS

Professor Carl H. Johnson

Professor Curtis M. Lowry